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In re Application of :
JEAPES, Andrew Philip et al. :
Application No.: 10/049,860 : DECISION ON
PCT No.: PCT/GB00/03234 :
Int. Filing Date: 21 August 2000 : PETITION
Priority Date: 19 August 1999 :
Attorney Docket No.: 5648 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.182
For: PROCESS FOR RECYCLING IONIC :
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This decision is in response to applicant's "Resubmission of Response to Decision On Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182," filed on 11 October 2005.

BACKGROUND

On 21 March 2005, applicant submitted a petition under 37 CFR 1.182, accompanied by a declaration and the fee for a three month extension of time.

On 04 May 2005, the Office mailed Decision On Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182, dismissing applicants' petition without prejudice.

On 11 October 2005, applicants submitted the instant renewed petition accompanied by a postcard receipt.

DISCUSSION

Applicants have supplied a postcard receipt listing a response to the Decision On Petition and various declarations for the instant application. The postcard receipt is date stamped 05 July 2005. Applicants indicate that the instant submissions are copies of the papers filed on 05 July 2005. The 11 October 2005 submission is accepted as having been timely filed on 05 July 2005 (04 July 2005 was a holiday).

The international application failed to list a given name for 5 of 7 applicants. Applicants have supplied statements from those inventors indicating that they are the inventors in the international application and that they believe their listings without a given name were typographical errors. This is sufficient explanation of the discrepancy.

The 05 July 2005 declarations comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a)-(b).

CONCLUSION

For the above reasons, the Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182 is **GRANTED**.

This application remains abandoned for failure to timely respond to an Office Action mailed 16 June 2005.

The application is being referred to the National Stage Processing Branch for preparation of a corrected Notification of Acceptance (Form PCT/DO/EO/903). The application has a 35 U.S.C. §371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) date of 05 July 2005.

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